

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS

KENTUCKY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT



BOONE NATIONAL GUARD CENTER FRANKFORT KY 40601-6168

Haz-Mat Awareness/ERG Book

August 6, 2011 – Class Start Time 08:00

Yelvington Fire Department - 1124 Yelvington Knottsville Road Owensboro, KY 42301

Course Description:

This class is designed to provide Awareness-Level Training for first responders. It is for responders who are likely to witness or discover a hazardous materials release and will initiate a response sequence by notifying the proper authorities of the release. It will concentrate on detecting a hazardous situation and making the appropriate calls to secure the scene and prevent contamination.

You will also learn how to use the Emergency Response Guidebook. The OSHA 1910.120 standard outlines the minimal training required of each employee that has the potential of witnessing or discovering a hazmat incident. These individuals include firefighters, police officers, emergency medical personnel, security guards, and certain industrial workers. From informal detection methods to protective actions, your personnel will be fully informed of their responsibilities and have the knowledge to safely carry out the duties of the hazmat awareness level.

Student Criteria:

This course is open to all Emergency Management, Rescue, Fire, Emergency Medical, and Law Enforcement personnel or any organization having responsibility for a hazardous materials incident.

Special Notes:

Advance student registration is REQUIRED and must be received by ASAP in order to participate in this course. MAXIMUM # of student seats available is twenty-four (24). You are considered accepted as a student in this class upon receipt of your application by this office so you will not receive a letter acknowledging that acceptance.

Meals, lodging, and travel arrangements/expenses are the responsibility of the student and will *NOT* be reimbursed by KYEM unless otherwise noted.

Registration:

Registration application for the course can be completed using the following link to the <u>Student Registration Form</u> or via the KYEM website: <u>KYEM/Training</u> Students will be notified if the course is cancelled. For this reason, it is imperative that you provide accurate contact information.

For more information, contact:

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